

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A method of downloading data from a meat processing machine characterized in providing a meat processing machine that has a touch screen that governs information of the meat processing machine; providing ~~an intermediary device~~ a hand held control that has a screen and that is operatively associated with the touch screen of the meat processing machine; selectively actuating the ~~intermediary device~~ hand held control to transfer data information regarding a meat product being processed from the meat processing machine to the intermediary device hand held control wherein an operator views the information from the meat processing machine that has been transmitted to the hand held control on the screen of the hand held control; and formulating the transferred ~~data~~ information to be viewed; and providing a personal computer to receive the transferred information from the meat processing machine via the hand held control.

2. (cancelled)

3. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein the transferred data is selected from the group consisting of running time, pressure settings, initials of person gather data, name of product being run, recipe being used to make the product, and meat processing information.

4. (original) The method of claim 1 further comprising the step of transmitting the transferred data to a controller.

5. (currently amended) A system for downloading data from a machine characterized in:

a meat processing machine that has a touch screen that governs information of the meat processing machine;

~~an intermediary device~~ a hand held control that has a screen and that is operatively associated with the touch screen of the meat processing machine such that data-information regarding a meat product being processed is transferred from the meat processing machine to the intermediary device hand held control by selectively actuating the hand held control; and

~~the intermediary device~~ hand held control being operable to formulate the transferred data-information to be viewed on the screen of the hand held control; and

a personal computer to receive information regarding the meat product being processed transmitted from the meat processing machine via the hand held control.

6. (cancelled)

7. (original) The system of claim 5 wherein the transferred data is selected from the group consisting of running time, pressure settings, initials of person gather data, name of product being run, recipe being used to make the product, and meat processing information.

8. (original) The system of claim 5 further comprising a controller operatively associated with the intermediary device.

9. (cancelled)